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**FIRST INTERIM CROP PAYMENT IS 12c BUSHEL—PAYMENT TO ALBERTA FARMERS IS \$6,410,035.12 ON FIFTY-FIVE MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT**

Winnipeg, Feb. 28.—An interim payment on the 1928 crop totalling more than \$26,000,000 will be distributed to the wheat pool members of western Canada, E. B. Ramsay, general manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool, announced today. The payment is 12 cents a bushel on wheat grades one to five and on flax and rye.

Manitoba pool members will receive the sum of \$22,289,455.46 on 18,408,000 bushels of wheat and 703,760 bushels of flax and rye.

Members in Saskatchewan will receive \$17,499,433.43 on 143,419,000 bushels of wheat and 3,165,000 bushels of flax and rye.

The Alberta pool payment of \$6,410,035.12 is on a fifty-five million bushel of wheat total. The total amount distributed is \$25,193,923.32.

**NOT FOR TRADING IN**

An itinerant collector of old iron was trundling his barrow along a very narrow road. Behind him was a somewhat elderly motorcar, the impatient driver of which was hooting and tooting in his anxiety to pass the old iron barrow.

The old-iron merchant looked round at the car and then addressed the owner:

"Or right, gau'nor, I'll call for that tomorrow!"—Til-Bits (London).

**CAN SEE THROUGH IT**

Author: "Is my story perfectly clear?"

Editor: "It should be; there's nothing in it."

**IN THE ESTATE OF ROEFL POELMAN, LATE OF THE TOWN OF GRANUM IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, FARMER, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Roefl Poelman, who died on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1928, are required to file with the undersigned solicitor or executor, by the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1929, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 18th day of February, A. D. 1929.

JOHN L. FAWCETT,

Solicitor, for Executor,

Macleod, Alberta,

WILLIAM POELMAN,

Executor,

Granum, Alberta.

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**Alberta Farmer Named on Tariff Advisory Board**

Hon. Jns. Robb, Dominion Minister of Finance, has announced the appointment of Frank S. Jacobs of DeWinton, Alberta, to the vacancy on the Tariff Advisory Board to succeed Hon. D. G. McKenzie who resigned some time ago to enter the provincial government of Manitoba, and later in live stock promotion work with the Dominion Live Stock Branch in Alberta, is well qualified to take charge of the organization of young people's live stock clubs throughout the province.

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**CAPITAL GOSSIP AND PROVINCIAL NEWS****Weed Inspectors Attend Successful Course**

An attendance of approximately 200 has been registered at the special course for weed inspectors held by the Department of Agriculture at the University of Alberta during the past week. Officials of the Department report that this has been one of the most successful events of kind ever held in the province. A keen and intelligent interest has been taken by those in attendance in the various addresses and discussions making up the program and it is felt that as a result of this course, a large number of men will be well equipped to serve efficiently as weed inspectors in their own communities during the coming summer.

**Alberta's Park Area Increased** The area of Rocky Mountain National Park in Alberta is to be increased by 103.5 square miles and will embrace a portion of the land formerly included in Jasper National Park while the latter park will also be increased by the addition of 17 square miles. Jasper Park, the largest in the province, formerly had an area of 5,880 square miles and Rocky Mountain National Park was 2,761 square miles in extent.

**Good Prices Paid For Irrigation Lands**

Very satisfactory returns were received for 30 parcels of irrigation land disposed of by auction at Taber on Saturday last. The record price of the sale was \$90 per acre paid by N. Jensen for a parcel of land in the vicinity of Barnwell.

**British Capital Interested in Salt Development**

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**Our Pool Directors had a difficult situation facing them at date of setting this Interim Payment with Argentina coming on the market with the very large crop uncontrolled in its marketing, and Australia producing Fifty Million bushels more wheat than last year.**

"It has happened before where over-optimistic leaders of Pool organizations in other countries have gone ahead with liberal early payments, only to find that they were forced to sell heavily on falling markets in order to maintain the required margin which excessive payments had impaired. Should the Canadian Wheat Pool be forced at any time to liquidate any considerable part of their holdings, leaders can well imagine what effect it would have on market levels.

The Pool is functioning splendidly and when the crop season closes our Members will have received the best average price obtainable on the world for a number of rapidly settling communities which up to the present have been isolated in regard.

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**WHEAT POOL ANNOUNCEMENT FIRST INTERIM PAYMENT 1928 POOL****BUSINESS MEN ACCLAIM CUT IN SALES TAX — GENERAL COMMENT IS OF APPROVAL OF BUDGET TARIFF CHANGES AND TAX REDUCTIONS**

Under date of March 1st distribution was made of First Interim Payment on deliveries to 1928 Pool, amounting to 12c per bushel on practically all grades, except No. 6 where the amount was 10c per bushel. In Alberta this distribution to Pool members aggregated approximately \$6,500,000.

In setting this payment a number of features must be taken into consideration by the Central Selling Agency. Since the first year's operation of the Pool it has been the policy to make the First Interim Payments sufficiently conservative to permit the Selling Agency to continue a selling policy that in their opinion may procure ultimately the highest returns to the grower, unhampered by any turn the market may take, when a large volume of crop remains unsold. To pursue such a policy consistently throughout the whole season, the Selling Agency must be at all times in a strong financial and market position. Should we at any time make too large an Initial or Interim payment on any grade the net returns to a tax, compounded to provide an initial outlay of capital, which in most instances, he pays to the government, even before he collects from the consumer.

Further it is necessary to fix the amount of payment several weeks in advance of actual date in order to take care of the enormous labor required in balancing and closing the accounts of each grower and completing cheques for payment. The Alberta Pool alone has many thousands of individual accounts, and with this recent payment issued over \$8,000 cheques, and the greatest care must be exercised to insure accuracy.

It is absolutely essential that the Canadian Wheat Pool proceed carefully and on sound lines to insure the safety and security of its members.

Many farmers in this Province have only recently joined because of the fact that the Pool's first five years of operation convinced them that the organization was being administered and conducted along sound business lines, and further realized that the Pool's system of orderly marketing was sound in principle.

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situation facing them at date of setting this Interim Payment with Argentina coming on the market with the very large crop uncontrolled in its marketing, and Australia producing Fifty Million bushels more wheat than last year.

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**Cotton Industry**

Immigration to this country should profit very materially by such a budget and the announcement of tax reduction should be an invitation to Europeans with vision to settle in this land. It should act as a stimulus to business and due to the tenor of optimism running through it, promises to the manufacturer who is, by reason of such a tax, compelled to provide an initial outlay of capital, which in in most instances, he pays to the government of the year of his arrival.

It is the cut of one-third in the sales tax will cause general satisfaction," said Mr. Dawson, "and no doubt will make for greater stability in business. The abolition of the tax on railway and steamship tickets and on cables and telegrams, although comparatively small in scope, are all moves in the right direction and will be welcomed by business."

**No Income Tax Cut**

He also expressed regret that nothing was done in the direction of a downward revision of the income tax.

George G. McDonald, president of the Canadian Wheat Pool, which appears to have been neglected in the budget proposals, Mr. Dawson was not quite so sanguine. "It is unfortunate," he said, "that the government has not seen fit to grant some measure of relief from the dumping of foreign-made goods in this country. These goods are produced by cheap labor and placed on the Canadian market at prices which are comparatively small in scope, are all moves in the right direction and will be welcomed by business."

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**Calgary Clubs Develop Stock**

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THURSDAY, MARCH, 7th, 1929

THE UNITED STATES OF EUROPE

The idea of uniting the nations of Europe in an economic federation has not been abandoned, and it is announced that Briand, Stresemann, and Chamberlain have agreed that a conference shall be held next October for the purpose of considering the matter.

The many advantages that would result from the economic unity of

Europe have been talked of, and seriously discussed during the past seven years, but the difficulties in the way of reconciling divergent interests, made the suggestion at first sight to appear to be as intangible as a dream. The creation of new states has multiplied the number of economic units each with its own protective tariff. The recognition of the principle of self-determination has satisfied national aspirations but at the cost of diminished trade and industrial depression.

The economic section of the League of Nations has quietly been at work for years gathering statistics and general information and it is believed that the time has now come to formulate a plan that will bring the United States of Europe into being.

European statesmen find in the United States of America, a concrete example of what may be accomplished by the nations of Europe if they will agree to remove the barriers which now restrict commerce.

The prosperity of the United States of America has been built up on its large and increasing home consumption, and this market is protected from foreign competitor so efficiently that it virtually means the exclusion of foreign competitor which might enter into competition with domestic industry.

High as is the American tariff the Hoover administration is pledged to enact still higher customs duties, and already the Ways and Means Committee is being besieged by representatives of various interests who are demanding increases in the tariff that will make exclusion doubly sure.

By precept and example, America is forcing Europe to consider the question of economic unity as a means of restoring industry and commerce to a state of stability and prosperity.

A united Europe, with a uniform tariff against the rest of the world, would constitute an economic power, far greater than that now enjoyed so complacently by the United States. If the organization of the United States of Europe be not too long delayed, we may live to see another shift in the economic centre of gravity in this changing world.

RAILROADS MUST SPEED—OR SLUMP

American railroads last year carried fewer passengers than in 1926. This year the outlook is for a further decrease. And, with passenger airplanes entering the field, there seems little hope ahead.

This situation should interest the Westerner, especially every Westerner engaged in business. It will be some years before airplane travel is as cheap and safe as railroad travel. The West's progress is vitally bound up in its railroad transportation facilities, and will be for years to come.

Railroads compete with buses, private cars and airplanes in several major factors—speed, safety, cost, comfort, reliability. In the latter four factors they are probably



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superior to their rivals. In the first they are behind in many cases.

The roads at present offer luxury, safety, reliability and not unreasonable charges, everything considered.

But, generally, they are slow. If they will speed up they will find some of their lost patronage returning.

When a man has to get from one place to another, whether it's a vacation or a business trip, he wants speed. He is willing to pay for it. He will sacrifice a good deal for a few hours saved.

When western roads refuse to heed pleas for faster train service they are shortsighted; they are killing their own game.

NORTH AMERICA'S PLAGUE SPOT

These wholesale murders in Chicago mark that city as the plague spot of North America. It is the business of every part of the continent to see that that plague spot is cleaned up.

Organized crime has eaten into every phase of Chicago life. It has corrupted civic government. It has disorganized and terrorized legitimate business. It has even poked its ugly head into the schools.

And it is breeding a diseased type of criminality that will eventually infect every city of size in North America.

Mussolini kicked the Mafia, the Black Hand, out of Italy. The Mafia has been made welcome in Chicago. Sicilian gangsters who once cut throats along Italian highways are now shooting each other down in Chicago to protect their truck loads of beer and poison liquor.

Chicago cannot control its lawless element. Chicago cannot govern itself. How long before this organized lawlessness grows to such a point that it can safely invade other North American cities?

The time is coming when State

brought to trial before a jury. As for the ending—after you see it, don't spoil the surprise for your friends by telling them about it. You will try to guess it, of course, as the picture goes on. But the dramatic climax comes so abruptly, and without warning that it attains a new pinnacle for cinematic suspense treatment.

### "MOTHER MACHREE" A SUPERLATIVE PHOTODRAMA — DIRECTED BY JOHN FORD WITH BELLE BENNETT AND STELLAR CAST

For over a score of years, no song has been able to hold the imagination and the hearts of the American people like "Mother Machree." Probably no tenor has ever been able to give a recital without having it called for by his audience if he did not include it in his program. The sheer beauty of its compelling lyrics even haunted their author, Rida Johnson Young, until she was forced to write the story of "Mother Machree." And now Fox Films has translated this great epic of Irish mother love and sacrifice to the screen and it shows at the Empress Theatre Friday and Saturday.

With John Ford, maker of "The Iron Horse" and "3 Bad Men" as its director and Belle Bennett in the title role, Fox Films has produced a memorable picture poignant with drama, whimsical with humor and throbbing with life.

The story tells of an Irish mother, but it might be any mother, who leaves her home in Ireland with her young orphan son Brian, played by the beautiful child Philippe De Lacey, and coming to America tries to educate him. She fails to make a living for both of them, even with the kindly help of the Kilkenny Giant, played by Victor McLaglen and the Captain Flagg of "What Price Glory."

Desperate and thinking only of her son's welfare she allows him to be adopted by an aristocratic woman, Eulalie Jensen, so that he may receive the education she is unable to give him. The child is brought up by his foster mother in the belief that his mother is dead. Through the years Mother Machree watches her son growing to manhood, achieving all she hoped for him and fulfilling all her dreams, while she is a servant in the home of the girl with whom her son is in love. Brian, as a young man, is played by Neil Hamilton, and some of the finest sequences are where the mother and son meet each other, the one hiding her identity, the other wondering why he should be so stirred every time he sees the little old woman.

There is much to commend this beautiful picture. Superlative acting, fine directions, scenes filmed in Ireland, and a story vital with life.

The cast includes such favorites of the screen, in addition to those already mentioned, as Ethel Clayton, Constance Howard, Ted McNamara in the fine part of the Harper of Wexford, Pat Somerset and others. This is a picture you must see.

### Spring Point News

The ratepayers of the Porcupine Hills School District held their annual meeting Saturday afternoon with a good attendance. The retiring trustee was re-elected. The board stands with H. Bratton as president, G. R. Jackman and J. Fischer as trustees and Lester Jackman as Secretary Treasurer.

Owing to the weather and bad roads there has been very little doing in the social line.

### IF IT ONLY COULD BE DONE!

A young woman walked into a bank the other day and, stepping up to the window, said:

"I would like to open an account at this bank, please."

"We shall be very glad to accommodate you," said the teller. "What amount do you wish to deposit?"

"Oh," she said, smiling, "I mean a regular charge account such as I have at the department stores."

Montreal Star.

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Friday, March 8

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The screen attraction for Friday, March 8, will be—Belle Bennett, Victor McLaglen and Neil Hamilton in the Great Picture from the Irish Song—

# "Mother Machree"

Admission—Children 15¢, Adults 45¢, or, with coupon two for the price of one admission.

The Empress Theatre pledges 24 shows per year at which these free passes will be effective. A two dollar subscription to The Macleod Times affords 24 free tickets to the Empress Theatre shows—two each month—which means a saving of \$9.60. Subtract your subscription price and it leaves a clear profit of \$7.60—a mighty good investment. Subscribe now and get in for a profit.

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"Seasoning a rookie" means waiting until the old second baseman gets a little stiffer.

And now if intimate things were not hung on the clothes line, there

wouldn't be much need of a line.

head?"

Our enemies probably wouldn't lie up to us if they knew as much spicy truth as our friends know.

The coroner had a snap in the old days. He had only to gather the witnesses—not the fragments.

In Russia, as elsewhere, men have absolute freedom to do everything except disagree with the bosses.

### REGULAR MEETING MACLEOD TOWN COUNCIL

The Town Council of Macleod met Monday night for the regular monthly meeting. The Councillors present when Mayor J. W. McDonald, K. C., took the chair, were: W. A. Day, J. Swinerton, C. E. Tweed, C. W. Stevens, A. McLeod. After the routine business was disposed of, the first business was the appointing of the various committees for the year. The appointments were as follows: Finance—W. A. Day, C. E. Tweed, J. Swinerton. Police—A. McLeod, W. O. Hoodless, C. W. Stevens. Water and Light—J. Swinerton, A. McLeod, W. A. Day. Fire—W. O. Hoodless, C. W. Stevens, C. E. Tweed. Sanitation and relief—C. E. Tweed, J. Swinerton, W. O. Hoodless. Streets and Property—C. W. Stevens, W. A. Day, A. McLeod. The first named on each committee being the chairman.

The deal was closed with Dewitt Johnson for lot 18 on the south side of 24th Street, for a lease of five years, with option to purchase within that time for \$1,000.00. The condition being that a building of 66x99 feet be erected on the lot.

Chief of Police Pringle was given an increase in salary to date from January 1st, 1929.

It was decided to allow from this date a discount of 10% on electric light bills if paid on or before the 10th of the month. No discount has been allowed previously so this is the first promised reduction in the price of electric light. The penalty of 2¢ per K. W. H. will still be continued if bills are not paid on the 10th of the month.

### HAY CROPS IN MIXED FARMING ROTATIONS

On all of the Dominion Illustration Stations in Manitoba and Eastern Saskatchewan, clover, alfalfa, perennial grasses and grass and legume mixtures are under demonstration as hay crops in mixed farming rotations.

Place of hay in the Rotation—Sweet clover yields profitably on nearly any type of soil, but for best results should be seeded on land which has been well prepared. It has done well when seeded with a nurse crop of grain at any time in the cycle of a rotation, but does best with the first crop following summer-fallow or corn. The last grain crop before fallowing is usually weeder and in poorer tilth than fallow land and this militates somewhat against a successful catch.

Alfalfa, seeded alone, incurs considerable initial expense. It is a persistent yielder over a long period of years and as such should be grown on fields aside from a short cycle of cropping, where it provides a crop cheaply produced and of high quality and should be left down as long as the yields are profitable.

Grasses, such as western rye grass, bromes and meadow fescue, usually are most profitable when seeded with a grain crop following fallow or corn. Suitable stands may be secured on well prepared clay and heavy loam soils with the second or third grain crop in the rotation. This procedure is not so advisable on lighter loam soils.

The value of hay mixtures—Clover and grass mixtures appear superior to either class of hay alone. Alfalfa as a single crop is in most respects more valuable than mixed hay, but when incorporated with grasses it is less expensive to seed and as such fits well into a mixed farming rotation. Mixtures have numerous advantages, the chief being that clovers feed deeply while grasses draw from the upper layers of soil, a condition which tends toward higher yields than when either class is grown singly. Furthermore, legumes are easier to cure when grown with grasses, and sweet clover on richer soils yields a more acceptable fodder when mixed with a grass hay.

Influence of Hay Crops on Soil—Legumes as individual hay crops usually leave the soil in a more productive state than grasses or mixed hay. The chief benefit from grass to any soil is the addition of fibre. On most prairie soils, it is generally conceded that clover and alfalfa are improvement crops through various influences. Their deep, strong rooting habit opens the subsoil aerating it and permitting necessary drainage on low lying lands. Their root nodules collect nitrogen from the air surrounding soil particles and as the roots decompose this nitrogen is incorporated in the soil in nitrate form readily available as plant food. They should therefore be included in a hay crop whenever possible.

As Cleaning Crops—Hay crops are beneficial on a rotation for weed control. Comparatively few weeds ripen seeds before haying, consequently many of these are eradicated while others are greatly checked. If sod land is ploughed as soon as the first cutting of hay is removed, perennial weeds such as Canada thistle and sow thistle are

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turned over at their weakest stage and a thorough summer-fallow for the remainder of the season is a most effective method of bringing them under control.

**SCORELESS TIE IS RESULT WHEN VETS AND MACLEOD CLASH — POOR, WATER ICE SPOILS BRAND OF HOCKEY — SLIM CROWD PRESENT**

Very little interest was displayed by the small crowd at the Arena Lethbridge Friday evening when the Macleod Elks and the Lethbridge Vets fought to a scoreless draw. The ice was in bad shape owing to the Chinook, and the only interest aroused among the fans was caused by the boys falling on the ice, which was nearly all covered by a thin sheet of water.

Neither team displayed exceptionally brilliant hockey, but the ice did not permit of a good brand being shown. The play showed a tendency towards roughness at times, but on the whole Referee Paul kept it well in hand. At the end of the third period it was decided that further play was unwise, and the score was left tied 0-0.

The line-up

Lethbridge—Yorko, goal; Wilson and Francis, defence; Boles, Slovinski, Garrett, Webb and Henderson, forwards.

Macleod—Swinerton, goal; Dawson and Ringland, defence; McLeod, Smith and Graham, forwards.

Penalties: First period—Dowson, Macleod, one minute; second period—Francis, Lethbridge, five minutes; Dowson, Macleod, two minutes; Third period—Slovinski, Lethbridge, one minute.

### CLEANING GRAIN

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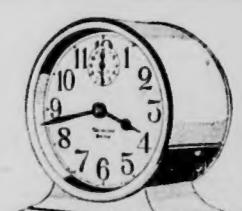
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